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Re: the Application of Hiroshi ANDO et al.

Serial No. 09/701,011

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Examiner: Marc S. Zimmer

PTO Confirmation No. 4791

FOR TWO-PACK TYPE CURABLE COMPOSITION AND CURING AGENT FOR USE THEREIN

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

July 1, 2002

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 1, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

CLEAN VERSION OF AMENDMENTS
IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claim 1 without prejudice or disclaimer and amend claims 2-7 and 9, as follows:

1. (Amended) A curing agent composition which comprises a hydrolyzable silyl group-containing compound (a), a non-phthalic acid ester based plasticizer (b) having no phthalic acid ester structure in its molecule, and a bivalent tin based curing catalyst (c), wherein the hydrolyzable silyl group is represented by the general formula (1):

